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Application Number **09/500,747**  
Filing Date **9 February 2000**  
First Named Inventor **Rajesh S. GOKHALE, et al.**  
Examiner Name **Kathleen M. Kerr**  
Group Art Unit **1652**  
Attorney Docket No. **300622004600**

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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## FEE CALCULATION

### 1. BASIC FILING FEE

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	710	201	355	Utility filing fee	
106	320	206	160	Design filing fee	
107	490	207	245	Plant filing fee	
108	710	208	355	Reissue filing fee	
114	150	214	75	Provisional filing fee	

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES

	Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
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103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	80	202	40	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	270	204	135	Multiple dependent claims, if not paid
109	80	209	40	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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## FEE CALCULATION (continued)

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105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> reexamination	
112	920	112	920	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840	113	1,840	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	460.00
118	1,390	218	695	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,890	228	945	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,280	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions of the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per properties (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
179	710	279	355	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
169	900	169	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify)

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## SUBMITTED BY

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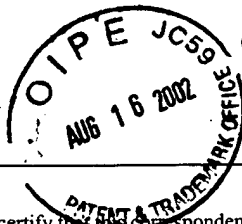
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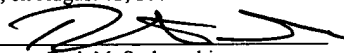
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SYNTHASE MODULE EFFECTIVENESS

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to an Office action herein mailed 12 February 2002, time for response to which was set to expire 12 May 2002. A petition for an extension of time of three (3) months until 12 August 2002 is attached hereto, along with the required fee. The considered claims, claims 23-39 were rejected; claims 40-44 were withdrawn from consideration.

Applicants are grateful for the thoughtfulness and courtesy extended their undersigned representative in an interview by Examiners Kerr and Nashed on July 8, and for the helpful follow-up discussion with regard to written description and enablement also discussed at the interview. It is appreciated that some outstanding issues were resolved and, to that extent, the response below is simply to complete the record. It appears that the only remaining substantive issue is directed to written description of the linkers themselves, particularly that aspect relating

to inter- and intra-molecular PKS linkers. Nevertheless, each written rejection is responded to below. Reconsideration of the application and allowance of all pending claims as amended are respectfully requested.

Enclosed is the following Exhibit A: Version With Markings To Show Changes Made.